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In A Predetermined Pattern  
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- ☒ Amendments to the Claims;
- ☐ Amendments to the Drawings;
- ☒ **Remarks**